1. AEA Leadership Team Visit – The AEA Leadership Team will visit NEH on October 26th. The Leadership Team will meet with Pat and I to discuss the district goals and how the AEA is impacting our work. The Team will then do 3 classroom visitations and finish with a Follow-up session to discuss how the AEA can better serve the district and educators.
2. Superintendent Rounds - I attended the 1st Superintendent Rounds on Thursday, October 20th. The host school was Newell-Fonda. Newell-Fonda has been a leader in the 1 to 1 computer initiative. I was able to observe in 4 classrooms. Students used computers in 3 of the 4 classes. In 2 classes the teachers used smartboards in the instruction.
3. Assembly - We had a 6-8 Mad About Money Assembly on Tuesday.
4. Veterans’ Day – We are starting to plan for our Veterans’ Day program. The date will be on Friday, November 11th at 10:30. We will be notifying local media and putting an announcement in local church bulletins.
5. Professional Development – The initial Professional Development late start was on Wednesday. We had lots of informational items to discuss, but the teachers did have approximately 50 minutes to start analyzing the MAP data and preparing the goals sheets to share with parents at P/T Conferences.
6. The volleyball team won their 1st round match and will play East Greene on Tuesday, at Burnside at 7:00 p.m. The football team will play the 1st round at home against Midland on Wednesday, at 7:00 p.m. Go Trojets and Trojans!!
7. Cheerleader Accident – After school on Friday, Mrs. Keehn and the cheerleaders were going over their routine for Senior Night. During the practice a cheerleader fell during a stunt. The girl landed on her back and she was in a great deal of pain. Mrs. Keehn called the girl’s mother and the ambulance. The girl was taken to Ames with her mother by ambulance. We have heard that she did fracture a vertebrae and will be out of school for this week. We will be following up on this incident.

Have a great weekend!

If you have any questions concerning any of these items, give me a call.

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